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CINCINNATI HORROR.

Two Buildings Blown to Atoms
By Gasoline.

SIX PERSONS INSTANTLY KILLED

Eighteen Others Injured, Several of Whom May Die—Other Dead Bodies May Be Under the Debris—Five-Story Building Completely Demolished—Names of the Dead and Injured So Far as Known.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—This city and vicinity was greatly excited last night over the explosion of a large tank of gasoline which completely demolished the 5-story building, 430 and 432 Walnut street, at 8 o'clock last night. After the explosion the wildest reports were current as to the loss of life. Before midnight it was known that six were killed and 18 injured, but the work of removing the debris had proceeded so slowly that the general estimate of the killed and wounded greatly exceeded this number.

The explosion did not carry the debris any distance from the building or even obstruct the street in front of it. The building seemed to collapse so that the pile of debris was covered by the tin roof and after working several hours it was found that the only way to rescue the victims was to remove the immense mass of brick and timber. Accordingly workmen were put at it, as many of them as could work on it. The debris was being shoveled by one force out into the street and into the rear alley and all available teams were secured for another force of men to load it up and get it out of the way of the rescuing party who were working on the immense pile of ruins. This was found to be the only practical means of reaching those who were on the lower floor.

All those who have been rescued had been on the upper floors except some who were thrown out into the street. While this work was going on holes were cut through the foundations of adjacent buildings, and debris was taken out and three lives were saved by persons being rescued in that manner.

The family of Adolph Drach suffered most completely. Drach and his wife are numbered among the dead, his 5-year-old daughter is dead, and his 3-year-old boy is believed to be dying. Noland Davit, a traveling man for the Columbia Carriage company of Hamilton, O., was walking along the street at the time of the explosion and blown under a street car and killed.

Herman Nolte, Jr., was standing by a barbershop pole in an adjoining building, when struck by some debris, and suffered a broken leg and other injuries.

There were many that suffered slight injuries who were taken to their homes and whose names can not be learned. Some of those who were in the saloons were thrown out on the sidewalk and suffered slight injuries. Among them was Mr. Healy of the Alms hotel. He was in Fey's place and reports about 18 or 20 in that resort when the building went down.

Mr. Drach being among the victims, it is probable that it will never be known how the explosion came about. He had just been down in the basement experimenting with the gasoline engine and had poured a barrel of gasoline into the tank. He had just secured a new engine from Lafayette, Ind., intending to start it last night for motive power in furnishing incandescent light.

READY TO HANG HOLMES.

The Multi-Murderer Has Less Than Two Days Yet to Live.

PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—H. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer, has now less than two days to live. Sheriff Clement says the execution will occur about 10 o'clock on Thursday morning. The sheriff asserts that there will be no sensational scene of the gallows. If Holmes has anything to say it must be said from his cell before the march to the scaffold. About 50 persons, including officials and newspaper men, will witness the hanging, although thousands are straining every nerve to be present, and as high as \$300 has been offered for a single ticket.

The prophecy that Holmes would cheat the gallows by committing suicide has no promise of fulfillment. Strict watch is kept upon him, but he seems docile and resigned. Whether or not his apparent contrition is genuine and whether he will die a convert to the Roman Catholic faith is largely a matter of conjecture. Father Dailey, his spiritual adviser, believes the contrition is genuine. The priest will administer the last rites of the Catholic church shortly before the hanging. On Thursday morning mass will also be said for him in the Church of the Annunciation.

The scaffold is ready but will not be erected until Thursday morning. It will be placed in the center of the corridor on which the condemned man's cell faces, and as usual will be heavily draped in black.

Killed Her Children and Herself.

STURGEON BAY, Wis., May 5.—Mrs. F. X. Sailer, the wife of a business man, yesterday drowned her two children and then committed suicide by the same method. The woman had gone down the bay shore a distance of three miles from here and had evidently walked out into the bay with her children and held them under the water until life was extinct, after which she lay down and deliberately suffered herself to drown. Mrs. Sailer was about 25 years of age. The tragedy is supposed to be the result of domestic unhappiness.

PITTSBURG, May 5.—J. L. Cowan, the absconding young lumber dealer who was recently arrested in Central America, was brought back to this city last night in charge of detectives and is now in jail. His friends expect to have him released soon on bail. Cowan has made a full confession, in which he declares that he did not profit at all by his crookedness. He implicates a number of people whose names are kept secret until action can be taken against them.

CROOKED EVIDENCE.

A Bombshell in the Pearl Bryan Murder Mystery.

THAT PROMISED SENSATION.

A Would-Be Detective Shown Up in a Very Bad Light—The Defense's Witnesses Used to Further the Cause of the Prosecution—Some 'Depositions' Read in Behalf of the Defense.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—The defense in the Scott Jackson murder trial yesterday brought out the story that has so long been held in the background. The following is the claim that the defense has set up: That Pearl Bryan died in the rooms of an aged German couple named Stoker at 53 George street, midway between Plum and Elm streets; that the Greencastle girl went directly to this back room after she left the Indiana House, and there died on Friday night while in the hands of Ann Baker, a midwife. Such is the story, of which William R. Truste's testimony is a part.

Before Truste was placed on the witness stand Colonel Crawford said: "I desire to say that counsel for Walling and myself have paid the expenses of this witness while here and from another state."

Mr. Truste then said: "I live near Champaign, Ills. I lived in Kentucky before that. I am a railroad man. I am now in a tile factory at Urbana, Ills. I have been a brakeman on the Cincinnati Southern. I was a farmer before I was a railroad man. I am single. I have a father, brother and sister. My family lives at Urbana, Ills. I was in Cincinnati looking for a job. I was here on Friday Jan. 31."

Colonel Crawford—Did you have anything to do with a dead person that day?

"Yes sir." Continuing, the witness said: "I got here in the morning. I met a girl I know, and we walked up Sixth street to Plum. She was to meet me after dark that night. I went back there and met her. She seemed to be scared and excited when she came up to me. I talked to her a minute, and we walked to the corner of George street. Then I got on a cab and drove off. Before that, as I walked up George street, a woman was ahead of us. While we were standing there talking a cab drove up. It had glass doors and an iron-gray horse drawing it. The man that drove the cab was a big man, and had on a silk hat. He got off the cab and went into a house with a woman. She waited outside. Pretty soon two men came out, carrying a woman between them. One had her feet, the other held her around the arms. The other woman walked alongside. She carried a hat in her hands.

"I opened the door of the cab and helped them to put her in the cab. I had hold of her hand, and it felt cold. I did see her face. Her mouth was open and her eyes rolled back in her head. I am sure she was dead. I got on the cab and drove it off. I drove over the Newport bridge. I had been directed which way to go. The man gave me a bridge pass. I drove two blocks from the end of the bridge; then a man who had been waiting got on the cab and drove with us. He had a little doctor's case in his hand. I drove away out in the country. When stopped I noticed a house on the right hand side. We drove on by that, then we stopped. The man paid me \$10, and then he took the body out of the cab and took it over a fence that was there. I turned around and came back. I left the vehicle with the cab driver, who met me at the foot of the bridge."

"The man I met on the corner directed me how to drive. I was told where the body was taken out to bring the hack back. When I got back I left it standing there. I walked across the bridge, and then I went to the Central street railroad station. I sat down in the restaurant. I don't know how long I staid there. I dozed off. When I woke up it was 6:30 o'clock. Then I went up to Ed Bradley's in Richmond street. I am Bradley's cousin. The Bradleys live in Ludlow now. They were in bed yet. They got up and let me in. Mrs. Bradley got breakfast for me. After breakfast I went back to the depot, and along in the morning I left the city for Indianapolis. There I looked for work. From there I went to Urbana, Ills. I did read about the finding of the body. I told my father the story as soon as I got home. I told Captain John Seward about it after that. The woman I met on the evening of Friday, Jan. 31, is Georgie Baker. She is known here as Evans."

On cross-examination he said: "I came in on a freight train. The conductor's name is Charley Ayres. I don't know who the cabman was. I don't know who the people were that went out with me. I walked over the bridge coming back. I don't know what became of the 'doctor.' The last I saw of the doctor he was going over the fence. I came here this time on the second day of the month. I know George Dayton. I have not advised George Dayton what to testify to. I am a distant relative of John Seward. I am his third cousin. John Seward sent me a ticket to come here."

"I have never been in the detective business. I know that John Seward is a detective. I know he has been in the Kentucky penitentiary. I have not been employed in this case. I first talked with Seward on Feb. 14. I have been boarding at Herman's hotel. He is living there. Dayton eats his dinner there. I don't know what street my cousin

Bradley lives on in Ludlow. It seems to me like Green street. I lived in Fifth street, Cincinnati, with John Seward. I first saw Seward at Urbana, Ills., about Feb. 14. He was there threw or four days. He talked about this Fort Thomas case. I don't know whether he was employed on the case."

Colonel Nelson—Will you look at this paper and say if you ever saw it before?

Witness—That's my father's handwriting. I did not know that my father had written to anybody about the case. The letter was then read to the jury. It was to A. S. Bryan, Greencastle, and contained an offer to Mr. Bryan to tell him of the doings of a certain detective employed by the defense. The writer said that the defense would try and prove that Mr. Bryan's daughter was killed in Ohio, and not in Kentucky. It was signed by William R. Truste.

Another letter of the same kind was read. It was addressed to Silas Hays, Greencastle, Ind. In speaking of Seward in this letter the writer said: "He can get you some good testimony. He used to be a lawyer, but was debarred for subornation of witnesses. He is used to getting all kinds of testimony, either for or against."

During the reading of these letters the witness shifted uneasily in his chair and he winced as Colonel Nelson emphasized the bad spelling. The second letter, like the first, was signed "Wm. Truste." As the end of the reading was reached it was 12 o'clock and Judge Helm said:

"Court will now adjourn."

The witness was placed under \$100 bond for his future appearance.

At the afternoon session Truste was cross-examined by Colonel Nelson and in a short time had the witness so badly mixed up that he was excused, but Colonel Nelson told him to remain, as he would probably be called to testify again.

Harry Shafer, a newspaper reporter, was called for again by Attorney Crawford. He did not respond. The reporter's deposition was read. Shafer said he was in the jail when Coachman Jackson went there to identify Scott Jackson. The reporters and Walling and Jackson exchanged coats. It was 10 minutes before the coachman identified Jackson. He did not identify the dental student until someone yelled: "Jackson, take your hat off!" The prisoner obeyed and the coachman stepped forward and identified him.

Shafer told of the difficulties experienced by the party which accompanied George Jackson on the test drive to Fort Thomas. Henry Motz was secured to pilot the party over the worst part of the road. It took a long time for Jackson to locate the scene of the murder. During the night Jackson identified two spots as the place where the girl was lifted over the fence.

Dr. T. J. Waey's deposition was read. The deponent is a professor in the Ohio dental college. Jackson was present at the operative clinic on Thursday and Saturday afternoons, Jan. 30 and Feb. 1. This is supposed to contradict the testimony of Mrs. Weeks, the spiritualistic medium of Bellevue, Ky. Mrs. Weeks testified that Jackson and Pearl Bryan called on her that afternoon.

Judge Helm ruled that a schoolteacher can not testify from a rollbook as to a pupil's attendance; he must testify of his own knowledge, and the prosecution's objection to Dr. Waey's deposition was sustained.

W. T. Ayres of Greencastle, Ind., deposed that Wood's moral reputation for morality in Greencastle was not good. Wood's reputation, he said, for truth and veracity was not good.

M. T. Cook deposed that he has known Will Wood since last September. His deposition about Wood's reputation for truth and veracity was that it was not good.

Jesse Johnson, a teacher of Greencastle, also made a deposition, which was read. The defendant has known Wood three years. He regards the young man's reputation for veracity as bad.

Before Colonel Crawford read further depositions he suggested that the ladies present should leave the room.

"Those ladies who desire may retire from the room at this time," said Judge Helm.

There was no stir, and the court said: "All ladies are requested to leave the room."

Men filled up the seats. William J. Grooms' deposition was the first taken from the table by Attorney Crawford. The prosecution objected to a part of it, because it sought to impeach Will Wood for statements made out of court. The judge said the questions might show that some one else had motive in the case besides the prisoner, and ruled accordingly.

Grooms stated in his deposition that he is a student and a musician. Will Wood said to the deponent: "I am in tough luck." He mentioned a girl in connection.

Ed Hunt's deposition was the next which Attorney Crawford desired to read. A part of it was stricken out by Judge Helm. Hunt knew Pearl Bryan seven years and was her schoolmate five years. Will Wood on three occasions, Hunt says, told him of improper relations with Pearl Bryan.

During one conversation in Indianapolis in which Wood made his boasts, Hunt said that Scott Jackson might have been present a short time; but he was not positive.

Court adjourned at 5 p. m. Colonel Crawford has in his possession a letter signed H. T. Harris, in which the writer says he himself is the murderer of Pearl Bryan. It is believed that the writer is mentally unbalanced.

Maryland has 107,054 persons engaged in manufacture, the annual value of whose product is \$171,842,593.

THE WOMEN MAY WIN

Fight on in Earnest in the Methodist Conference.

TWO COMMITTEE REPORTS.

One Favors the Admission of Women While the Other Does Not—A Heated Discussion Follows, but Is Not Finished. The Standing Committees Organized and Ready For Active Work.

CLEVELAND, May 5.—Three out of four women delegates who have been fighting for admission to the Methodist conference sent in communications yesterday morning, withdrawing "in the interests of harmony and for the purpose of ending the continual fight which the question seemed to involve." This coming after they had practically won their point and were about to be admitted, came as a thunderbolt, and threw the conference into an uproar. It was regarded as a stunning blow to the champions of women.

Lydia N. Trimble's name was not signed to the women delegates and Dr. Buckley moved that as not all the women who are certified to this body have signed this paper he hoped the order of the day would proceed. It did and the secretary read the majority report of the committee which declared that the women had a constitutional right to membership in the conference.

Rev. Dr. A. G. Kynett, who is leading the fight for the women, made a brilliant speech in favor of the adoption of the report.

The Rev. Dr. Neeley of Philadelphia read the minority report denying them the right to sit in the conference.

The Rev. Dr. Neeley made a fervid speech in favor of the minority report. His chief point was that woman could only be admitted by a change in the constitution. Dr. Neeley moved to substitute the minority for the majority report. This was lost.

The Rev. Dr. George P. Mains of Brooklyn said: "This is one of the gravest times in the history of Methodism. The question of woman today in the world threatens the very civilization. We can not afford to make this change except in the most conservative manner."

Other vigorous speeches for and against women were made. The discussion continued at length, and was heated at times. Finally, on motion of the Rev. Dr. Leonard of Cincinnati, the further debate on the woman question was postponed for the day.

The 13 standing committees and the special committee on Epworth league organized permanently in the afternoon and will begin work at once. Among them are the committee which will consider the advisability of having more bishops and that which will make a recommendation on the proposition to mitigate the severity of the rule governing the itinerancy of ministers.

LET HIMSELF FALL.

Traveling Man's Peculiar Death at a St. Louis Hotel.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Samuel Bissell, aged 28, traveling salesman for the H. B. Clafin Dry Goods company of New York, hung out of a third story window of the Planters' hotel, momentarily swung by his hands from the casing, then dropped. The window overlooked an asphalt paved alley. Bissell struck the hard pavement standing erect, but went over like a shot. The force of the fall burst his shoes, broke one leg, fractured his skull and injured him internally. He was removed to the hospital, where he died within an hour.

Bissell came to the Planters' April 24. Two days later he disappeared, leaving his baggage at the hotel. Four days later his wife telegraphed to the Planters' making anxious inquiries concerning him. Saturday two detectives, under Mrs. Bissell's direction, vainly searched the town for him. Sunday morning Bissell returned so changed that Clerk Moore did not know him. He could give no account of himself. Dr. Lyons attended him. About 1 o'clock Bissell was alone in his room. J. N. Green, who was in the alley, saw him at the window and witnessed his fall.

A Sufferer From Malaria.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The news of the death in St. Louis of Samuel Bissell, a traveling salesman for the H. B. Clafin company, was taken to the company's offices by an Associated Press reporter. One of the officials of the company said: "I have known Mr. Bissell for nearly eight years, during which time he has gone on the road for us several times and was always very successful. His family reside in Wooster, O., but I believe they are widely separated now. He contracted malaria from which he suffered a great deal and he used a quantity of quinine. When he left here on April 23 he was a sick man, and evidently overworked with the drug. He was not addicted to drink."

WHEELING, May 5.—Report last night from Tyler county, this state, says the Victor Oil company struck a well on the Stealey farm which is producing at the rate of 120 barrels an hour or 2,000 barrels a day. If this rate is maintained, it will be the largest producer ever "truck in America."

In Memory of Horace Mann.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 5.—The 100th anniversary of the birth of Horace Mann, the leader in education in America, was celebrated yesterday with elaborate exercises at Antioch college, Yellow Springs, of which institution he was president for six years.

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TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1896.

INDICATIONS.

Generally fair weather; light to fresh north-westerly winds on the lakes; cooler in northern portion.

Sun rise..... 4:53
Sun set..... 7:00
Moon rise, a. m..... 1:27
Day of year..... 126

GOVERNOR BRADLEY, by abusing his pardoning power, is doing all he can to encourage mob law.

KENTUCKY'S criminal record will not be improved until we have a Governor who will allow the law to take its course.

PARDONING criminals is not a good way to put a stop to crimes in Kentucky. Our Governors seem to lose sight of this fact.

LOUISVILLE base ball enthusiasts are terribly cast down by the miserable showing their team is making. They ought to hunt up the members of Maysville's crack 1895 club. The boys play better ball than the article the Colonels are putting up. The Maysvilles downed every league team they faced last year, defeating Cincinnati twice and Washington once.

It is surprising to hear some of the business people of Maysville talk of the advantages of patronizing our home merchants and spending as much of our money at home as possible when it is common talk on the streets that these self-same persons run to Cincinnati for nearly everything they need. The proper way to remedy such an evil is to practice what you preach. Our merchants carry a nice, full line of goods, and the prices are as low and many times lower than you could buy the same article for in the large cities.

GOVERNOR BRADLEY Monday morning issued a pardon to George W. Smith, editor of Justice, the A. P. A. paper at Louisville. Smith was convicted on the charge of libeling Collector Ben Johnson and was fined \$800. Bradley is demonstrating every day that he is a member of the A. P. A.'s, and is prostituting his high office by granting such pardons. No member of this order has appealed to him in vain for a pardon. The guilt of the accused cuts no figure in the case. They are turned loose to go and commit other crimes.

Are You One

Of those unhappy people who are suffering with weak nerves, starting at every slight sound, unable to endure any unusual disturbance, finding it impossible to sleep? Avoid opiate and nerve compounds. Feed the nerves upon blood made pure and nourishing by the great blood purifier and nerve tonic, Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, prevent constipation. 25c.

River News.

Rising at Pittsburg and also at Charleston.

Six towboats have left the Kanawha on the present rise with coal.

The Enquirer says the new Bay boat now building at Ironton will be named the F. A. Laidley.

The Virginia on her up trip last week broke all packet records between Cincinnati and Parkersburg.

The Sherley for Pomeroy and Virginia for Pittsburg will pass up to-night. Due down to-night: Bonanza.

The Sherley and Virginia leave Cincinnati every Tuesday evening, and have been trying their speed of late. The Sherley claims the best of it.

Death of Charles A. Bryan.

Mr. Charles A. Bryan, who resided in Maysville a short time some years ago, died suddenly a few days since at his home in Neenah, Wisconsin. He was taken ill with a severe cold, the attack terminating in something like apoplexy and causing his death.

Deceased was a son-in-law of Mrs. Mary R. Hunt, formerly of Maysville, and leaves four children.

Mr. L. M. Mills is arranging to move into his new home on East Third street, which he has lately remodeled and handsomely improved.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use, and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at J. James Wood's drug store.

CARLISLE AND SOUND MONEY.

Address Issued to Kentucky Democrats Friday Urging Presentation of Carlisle's Name at Chicago.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—The committee appointed at yesterday's conference of sound money Democrats to-night furnished the morning papers for publication to-morrow an address to the Democrats of Kentucky.

After a review of the situation the address exhorts Democrats to stand firm for sound money and Carlisle for President. It says, in part:

"Let the Democrats of Kentucky make their declarations in plain and unequivocal language. If our State is to be made the battle ground by the free silver leaders of Missouri, Colorado and Nevada, let us go forth to make and win the fight in the solemn conviction that we will win in this way, and in this way only, reunite and rehabilitate our party and put it in line with the best interests of our common country.

"Knowing that John G. Carlisle is able and honest, and fully equipped to discharge the duties of the great office of President, let us present his name to the Chicago convention as the choice of the Kentucky Democrats as their candidate for President."

The address contains the following challenge to answer.

First—That there is not a free coinage country in the world to-day that is not on a free silver basis.

Second—That there is not a gold standard country in the world to-day that does not use silver as money along with gold.

Third—That there is not a silver standard country in the world to-day that uses any gold as money along with silver.

Fourth—That there is not a silver standard country in the world that has more than one-third as much money in circulation per capita as the United States has.

Fifth—That there is not a silver standard country in the world to-day where the laboring man receives fair pay for his day's work.

THE STATE ASSESSMENT.

Big Raises by the Equalizers. But the Total Still Less Than Last Year.

The State Board of Equalization Monday morning completed its work in fixing the equalized value of the property of the State, after having made the greatest raises above the County Assessor's books in the history of the Board.

The assessments in nearly every county have been raised, and still there will be a falling off in the revenue paid into the Treasury compared with 1895.

The assessed value of property in 1895 was \$558,901,803, and in 1896, \$553,740,353, making a falling off of \$5,161,444.

As the board equalized in 1895, the figures were \$573,206,978, and in 1896, \$570,926,762; the falling off over last year is \$2,280,216.

The net increase made by the Board in 1895 was \$13,305,175, and in 1896 is \$17,186,403, making the increase more than last year \$3,881,228.

From the equalized value of \$570,926,762 the State will derive a total revenue of \$2,600,000.

Deal With the Home Merchant.

Exchange: "No peddler does anything to help the town. He gives nothing to schools, churches and public enterprises. He spends no money here; he pays no taxes; he has nothing in common with the home people. He can swindle you, often does swindle you, and you can't help yourself. He has no store in town to which you may return goods that are worthless. The itinerant merchant has no reputation to sustain. He can cheat you with impunity. The home merchant bears his share of the business of good government. When a subscription paper is passed he is the first approached. He spends all his money here. He builds a home which enhances the value of all property. He helped to pay for the church in which you worship and the school to which you send your children."

MAYSVILLE DIVISION, U. R. K. of P., will have work in the initiatory to-night. A full attendance desired, and members are ordered to appear in full dress.

F. DRESSER, Captain.

Attractive Women.

Why is one woman attractive and another not? The most admirable and attractive thing about an attractive woman is her womanliness. Everybody admires a womanly woman. She must have health, of course, because without it she would lose the brightness of her eyes, the fullness of her cheeks and her vivacity. Real health must mean that a woman is really a woman. That she is strong and perfect in a sexual way, as well as in every other. That she is capable of performing perfectly the duties of maternity. Some are born with what is called "constitutional weakness." Those who do not enjoy perfect health, need only the proper precautions and the proper remedy to become perfectly well and strong. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure any derangement of the distinctly feminine organism. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," illustrated.

Sour

Stomach, sometimes called waterbrash, and burning pain, distress, nausea, dyspepsia, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This it accomplishes because with its wonderful power as a blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla gently tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, invigorates the liver, creates an appetite, gives refreshing sleep, and raises the health tone. In cases of dyspepsia and indigestion it seems to have "a magic touch."

"For over 12 years I suffered from sour

Stomach

with severe pains across my shoulders, and great distress. I had violent nausea which would leave me very weak and faint, difficult to get my breath. These spells came oftener and more severe. I did not receive any lasting benefit from physicians, but found such happy effects from a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I took several bottles and mean to always keep it in the house. I am now able to do all my own work, which for six years I have been unable to do. My husband and son have also been greatly benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla—for pains in the back, and after the grip. I gladly recommend this grand blood medicine." MRS. PETER BURBY, Leominster, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists, \$1. Hood's Pills cure all Liver Ills and Sick Headache. 25 cents.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

A Penalty of Twenty Dollars For Failure to Report Census by May 1st.

Trustees of public schools in Mason County who have not returned the school census for 1896-7 are reminded that the time for "return" is May 1st, and that failure to report on or before that date renders them subject to a fine of \$20. See school laws, section eighty-five. G. W. BLATTERMAN, Supt.

Clever Railroad Deal.

The Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company recently secured from the Louisville and Nashville Railroad the privilege of running fast through passenger trains over its line from Lexington to Louisville, a distance of seventy-nine miles, for a consideration of \$5,000 per month and half the cost of maintaining way.

It was also agreed that the C. and O. could run its fast through freights over the road, all being included in the price mentioned.

This contract went into effect the 1st of April, and after one month's experience the Louisville and Nashville finds that its freight and passenger business from Lexington to Louisville and from Louisville to Lexington has been practically ruined.

Closing Out Sale of M. Gunn.

I am closing out the entire stock—harness, saddles, collars and everything in this line. For next ten days will sell goods below cost. Now is the time to save money. W. R. ZECH, assignee, Market street.

Monitor Ranges.

Ranges made by the best manufacturers in this country, from \$25 up and warranted. If not as represented you can find me any hour in the day at my store. See me before you buy from any one. I will save you money. W. F. POWER.

MR. JACOB WORMALD has the contract for putting on a new steel ceiling and otherwise improving the Christian Church. Mr. John Carnahan will do the frescoing and painting. New windows will be put in and the improvements contemplated will cost about \$2,500.

MR. JAMES MAHER, who was so seriously injured by falling through a hatchway at his store and residence Saturday night, is still in a critical condition. The operation contemplated by his physicians was not performed yesterday. In addition to the fracture of the skull, it is feared the unfortunate man also sustained other internal injuries of a serious nature.

REV. J. A. LOWE, pastor of the Independent or A. P. A. Church, at Vine and Mercer streets, Cincinnati, made a lively speech to the congregation Sunday night, says the Post. He denounced the leaders as unpatriotic, and tendered his resignation. He declared there were no more than 200 patriotic men and women in Cincinnati, and that some of the members of his congregation were moral lepers and shameless men. Lowe said he was a McKinley man and wore a McKinley button. "I believe in the man, despite the fact that the Advisory Board, an illegal body, has denounced him."

Perfect Satisfaction or Money Returned.

Can we give you a better proof of our desire to serve you? We want you to have the best at the lowest price. Cheap, trashy stuff we haven't time to bother with and neither have you, if your judgment is what we think.

Hosiery and Underwear—Time now to change from heavy to light-weight. We are prepared to equip you with spring and summer underwear and hosiery to your best satisfaction. Just six items; they will have to stand for a dozen quite as good. Well made Cotton Vests, 5; bleached ribbed Jersey Vests, taped neck and sleeves, good quality, 10; bleached Jersey Vests, ribbed, silk taped neck and sleeves, 15; children's fast black, French ribbed stockings, sizes five to nine, 10 cents. The above quality and sizes in tan at same price. Women and men's fast black and tan hose, seamless, good quality, 10; fast black and tan ribbed and plain hose, 15, for men, women and children. You have often paid 25 for stockings no better.

Women's Capes—Useful, pretty garments needed for cool evenings the summer through. At less than their worth. Why? Because we have only about a dozen left and want to close them out. \$2.50 buys a very neat wrap.

Coolness and Economy—In a laundered waist, could not get enough last season, have them now, though, dozens of them, all the newest and best ideas, selling them at a great rate and at a very modest profit. Three prices, 50, 1.00, 1.25. Throughout next week we will give with every waist bought for cash, a pure silk, full length watch guard.

Dress Goods Harvest—Those 25 mohairs, reduced from 50 and 60 to close out a broken line are creating no end of favorable comment. The ladies tell us it's the quality and price combined that make them such a go. Have you seen our line of black crepons at 50, 75, 1.00. They are all beauties, with lots of wear and worth in them. Has any one told you of the pretty checks we are selling for 50c. Come and judge for yourself. For bicycle suits we have a nice line of serges at 29 and 50, chevots for 45 and mohairs at 25. They're desirable materials for separate skirts. Stand dust, wear and rough use.

D. HUNT & SON. The Best Dollar

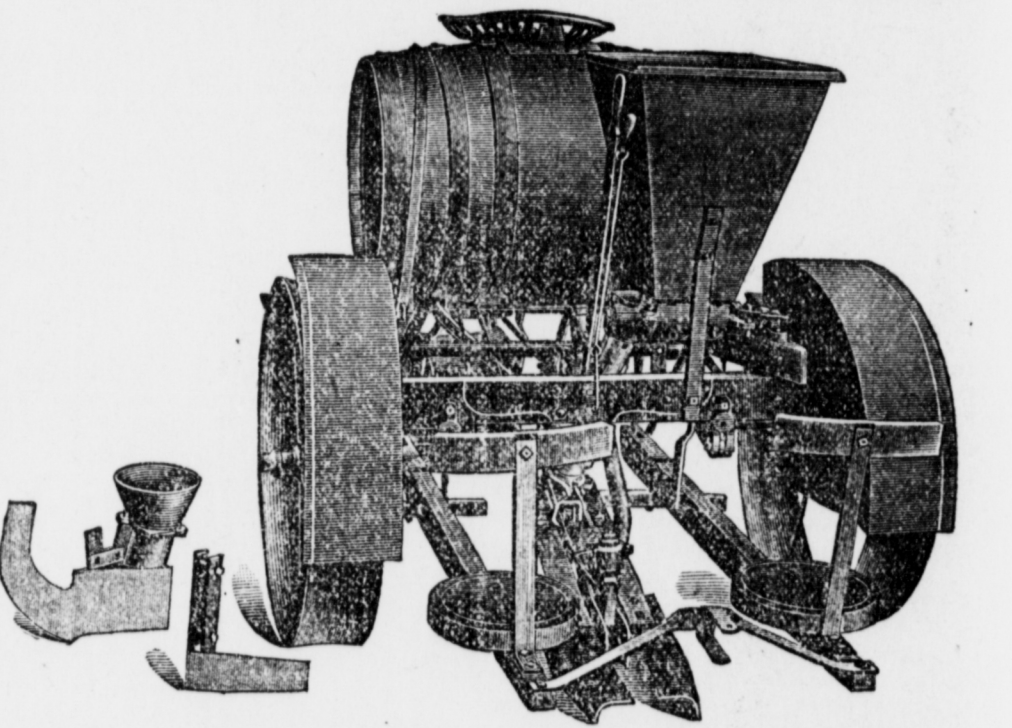
LASTS LONGEST, AND WE GIVE THE BEST DOLLAR'S WORTH

OUR CHINA AND QUEENSWARE

Are guaranteed to be precisely as represented; the dollars paid for it last because the goods last. We are making special drives on Chamber Sets this week. Call in.

C. D. RUSSELL & CO., "The Chinamen."

The Bemis Tobacco Setter.



The only successful transplanter on the market, and stood the test during the dry season of 1895, where its competitors failed. A practical machine that any farmer can use, simply constructed and will last a life-time if properly cared for. Makes its own season, gets tobacco out earlier, starts quicker and more uniformly than hand planting. Will make its price every year in a small crop. See what the largest grower in the State says about it. From Leslie Combs, Lexington, Ky.: This is to certify that I have used three different Tobacco Transplanting Machines upon my farm, and that I find the plants live so much better after the Fuller & Johnson "Bemis" I would buy no other. This opinion is formed from working all of these machines side by side through the entire season of 1895. Every machine fully warranted to do satisfactory work in the field or no sale. To secure one of these machines orders must be placed early. For sale by

JONAS MYALL, Mayslick, Ky.

Brown's Iron Bitters

Strengthens the muscles, tones the nerves, aids digestion, purifies the blood, improves the complexion.

Brown Chemical Co. Baltimore, Md.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CONGRESS. WE are authorized to announce W. LARTE THOMAS, of Mason County, a candidate for Congress from this, the Ninth, district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WANTED.

WANTED—50,000 pounds wool. Old pork house. WELLS & TAYLOR. 25-10d

WANTED—To loan on improved real estate \$1,000 for 5½ years at guaranteed net cost of only \$30, or for 10 years at \$405, and other sums in proportion. A. E. COLE & SON.

WANTED—Three white girls. Apply at this office. 19d

FINANCIAL—Do you need money? Old line life insurance policies bought. Address E. B. Sayers, Chamber of Commerce Building, Cincinnati, Ohio, or Major John Walsh, Court street, Maysville, Ky. m12-2nd

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The two-story residence in the "Brick Row," West Second street. A convenient and comfortable home. Apply to JAMES E. CULLEN, No. 120½ Market street, East side.

FOR RENT—The desirable frame dwelling on West side Limestone street, between Third and Fourth, now occupied by E. H. Binzel. Possession given on 1st. Apply to C. M. PHISTON. 27-4d

FOR RENT—Frame cottage on Fourth street and corner of "Corral House," eight rooms and cellar. Apply to J. G. WADSWORTH, agent.

FOR RENT—A small house containing four rooms and kitchen on Third street, opposite the convent. Apply to MRS. MARTHA A. MITCHELL, 30 East Third street. 2-dw

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Violin and Case worth \$60 for \$25. Call on JOHN WHEELER. tms

FOR SALE—Guaranteed 8 per cent. bonds, running 10 years or less; coupons payable semi-annually at First National Bank of Maysville, Ky. A. E. COLE & SON.

FOR SALE—House and four lots at a bargain. Easy terms. Apply to FRANK DEVINE, agent. 19-dft

LOST.

LOST—About 7:30 p. m. Sunday, between Wall street and Episcopal Church on Third, a pair of gold spectacles. Return to this office. 4-tf

LOST—Friday, April 17th, between Third and Market streets, Maysville, Ky., and residence of Mr. Sam Kimble on the river road to Aberdeen, a black chifton rucho or ruff with long black ribbon strings. Finder please leave at this office. 2-dft

LOST—About a week ago, a gold medal with the name "Amanda B. Bramel, Maysville, Ky." on one side. The finder will please return it to this office. 20tf

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

As administrator of Alexander Enochs, deceased, I will offer for sale on the premises the following described property, at 2 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, May 16, 1896: One house and lot, with Blacksmith Shop, Stable and all necessary outbuildings, in Lewisburg, Mason County, Ky., one of the best stands for a good smith in the county. Also two other lots adjoining the above property. Terms made known on day of sale. JAMES E. CAHILL, codd Administrator of Alexander Enochs.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

What the South Methodists Have Done and Are Doing Along This Line of Work.

The Board of Church Extension of the M. E. Church, South, met in annual session at Louisville last week.

In the report of the Secretary, the Rev. David Morton, an improvement in collections on assessments over last year was shown.

The total receipts of the Board from all sources for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1896, were \$80,357.60, an increase of \$3,249.79 over last year.

Since the inception of the Board of Church Extension, in 1882, it has aided 3,313 churches in this and foreign countries. The total amount donated by the conference boards to these churches for this period is \$320,984; by the General Board, \$275,002. The General Board has loaned a total of \$218,650 during the past fourteen years.

During the year the Board of Church Extension and its conference branches have helped 423 churches, paying them the sum of \$74,233.70. This shows that seventy-five more churches have been aided, and that disbursements for this purpose have been made of \$9,007.95 more than the preceding year.

There are on file at present applications for aid from 167 churches. Seven of these asks for loans, twenty-four for both loans and donations, and 136 for donations only.

During the past year special collections in behalf of churches in the Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Florida and Japan have been taken, amounting to \$3,467.22. The loan fund has increased \$6,898. Mr. James S. Lithgow, of Louisville, gave \$5,000 toward local church extension during the year. The Board was also left by the late Moses Upshard, of New Orleans, \$20,000. Neither of these amounts appears in the total collected, for the reason that the securities representing these sums have not been converted into cash.

EXCESSIVE TOLLS.

Five Indictments Reported at Flemingsburg Last Week Against Turnpike Companies.

The grand jury at Flemingsburg reported eight indictments last week.

Five of these indictments are against turnpike companies for charging and collecting excessive tolls. Three of the indictments are against the Maysville and Mt. Sterling Company and two against the Maysville and Mt. Carmel.

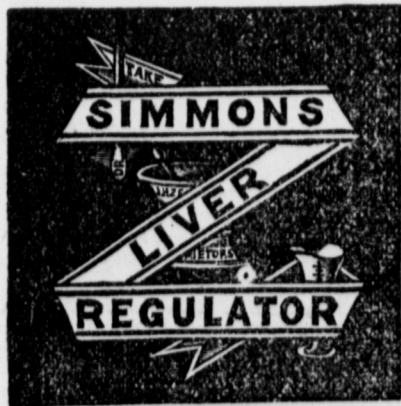
The companies claim they are charging no more tolls than their charters empower them to collect, but under a recent decision of the Court of Appeals in a case taken up from Clark County, it is asserted that the companies must comply with the new statute regulating the rates to be collected.

The cases will probably not be tried before the next term of the Fleming Circuit Court.

When Traveling,

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

Miss FLORENCE DODSON who has been ill several months was able to be out driving Sunday.



THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE

is SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR. Don't forget to take it. Now is the time you need it most to wake up your Liver. A sluggish Liver brings on Malaria, Fever and Ague, Rheumatism, and many other ills which shatter the constitution and wreck health. Don't forget the word REGULATOR. It is SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR you want. The word REGULATOR distinguishes it from all other remedies. And, besides this, SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR is a Regulator of the Liver, keeps it properly at work, that your system may be kept in good condition.

FOR THE BLOOD take SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR. It is the best blood purifier and corrector. Try it and note the difference. Look for the RED Z on every package. You won't find it on any other medicine, and there is no other Liver remedy like SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR—the King of Liver Remedies. Be sure you get it.

J. H. Zellan & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Ice cream soda at Armstrong's.

The Knights of St. John will meet to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR ROBERT L. BALDWIN continues to improve, and will probably be out to-morrow.

WILLIAM SNAPP, who lives near Millersburg, was run over by a four-horse harrow and seriously hurt.

Rev. Dr. BOLLING, of Lexington, will dedicate the handsome new M. E. Church, South, at Millersburg May 17th.

For a good investment take stock in the sixth series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2, 1896.

THE BROWN Chemical Company, makers of Brown's Iron Bitters, has been placed in the hands of a receiver at Baltimore.

A SISTER of Mrs. Jacob Roser, of Washington, died last Thursday at Covington and was buried at Spring Grove Cemetery.

JAMES GILLAM, who was injured by falling off a bridge in the West End Saturday night, was somewhat better this morning.

In the case of Feltman & Co. against Chinn, taken up from Mason, the appellee has been granted ten days to file brief.

EVERY can of Ray's Rainbow Ready Mixed Paint is guaranteed not to peel, chalk or crack. Found at Postoffice Drugstore.

Get your ready-mixed paint at Chenoweth's drug store. An analysis of their paint shows it to be made of white lead, linseed oil and coloring matter.

MR. HENRY RAY, of the Postoffice Drugstore, has a full supply of the finest fruit juices to supply the wants of those who desire a nice cool drink of soda water.

BALLENGER only asks an inspection to convince you that he offers many extra nice bargains in jewelry this year. Stop in and see his beautiful goods and let prices talk for themselves.

Books are now open for subscription to stock in the sixth series of the People's Building Association, commencing May 2, 1896. Call on Robert L. Baldwin, Secretary, John Duley, Treasurer, or any of the directors.

MISS ANNA THOMAS, of Augusta, died Saturday and was buried Monday. She was a cousin of Colonel Nelson, who is assisting in the prosecution of Jackson at Walling at Newport, and also a cousin of the Messrs. Sallee, of this city.

TWELVE rolls wallpaper and three rolls of border for only 78 cents. Get our prices before going to Cincinnati. Agents for wallpaper in Maysville make you pay extra profit as they buy through retail house.

J. T. KACKLEY & Co.

MR. J. P. WARE, who had charge of the construction of the new iron viaduct across the creek bottoms here, was killed at Clifton Forge, Va., Saturday evening in attempting to board a train. He went to that point Friday to look after some property.

MISS JULIA HARDIN, daughter of Hon. Wat Hardin, will be one of the bridesmaids at the marriage of her brother and the daughter of Vice President Stevenson, at Washington, next month. Miss Hardin is one of the brilliant members of the graduating class of the Oxford Female College this year.

THE assignee of Mr. Jos. F. Walton sold what is known as the "Jim Norris" warehouse at Germantown Saturday at public auction. It brought only \$280, the purchaser being the Louisville Savings, Loan and Building Company that holds a mortgage on the property for \$500. Mr. Walton paid Dr. Jno. M. Frazer \$1,000 for this warehouse a few years ago.

"R. A. HIBBS, M. D., of New York City, is one of the most prominent physicians in America, and the acknowledged authority throughout the world on matters pertaining to orthopedic surgery, says the Paducah News. Dr. Hibbs is a brother of Rev. H. H. Hibbs, of Mayslick Baptist Church. They have been visiting their old home near Smithland, Livingston County.

INFORMATION from Chattanooga indicates that the strawberry crop in that section this season will be double that of previous years. Over one hundred solid car-loads are expected to move from that point to Cincinnati during May, commencing this week. The Cincinnati Southern has arranged a thirteen-hour schedule from Chattanooga to Cincinnati to accommodate the traffic.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Bites, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no payment required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

SAMUEL DARNALL.

A Former Citizen of Fleming County Dies at Louisville, of Typhoid Fever.

Mr. C. W. Darnall received the sad news yesterday of the death of his cousin, Mr. Samuel Darnall, of Louisville. Deceased was taken ill six weeks ago with typhoid fever, and died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock.

Deceased was a son of Major William Darnall, of Elizaville, and was forty-eight years of age. He had charge of the principal hotel at Flemingsburg for years, and leaves many friends throughout Mason and Fleming. He was married twice, his last wife surviving him. He leaves two children, a son and a daughter. His first wife was a sister of Mrs. C. B. Pearce, Jr.

The funeral occurred at the Flemingsburg Christian Church this morning at 10 o'clock, after which the remains were interred in the Flemingsburg Cemetery.

Cure For Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache, Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Only fifty cents, at J. James Wood's drug store.

Decoyed Into Jail.

At Vanceburg Sunday James Evans, a farmer who went insane Saturday and attempted to kill his family, was decoyed into jail by Councilman Dave Smith and locked up. A desperate effort was being made to capture the insane man. He had a revolver and was hunting for three of his most intimate friends, James Cooper, John Lambert and John McLease, vowing he would kill them on sight. Smith got him into jail by making him believe it was a saloon.

Let's Have a Base Ball Team.

Ashland News: "Maysville is still making an effort to induce the C. and O. people to inaugurate a system of cheap excursions to that city from Huntington. As a pointer we would suggest that Maysville merchants put a base ball game in as an extra feature on their bargain days, and it may call a crowd."

JUDGE MINNICH, of Morehead, died of blood poisoning, the result of a wound inflicted by one of the Tollivers.

Thousands have tested the great building-up power of Hood's Sarsaparilla and have found renewed strength, vigor and vitality in its use.

FOR WARM WEATHER

We Have the Newest Things in

Ladies' Shirt Waists!

Perfect fitting percale Waists at 50 and 75 cents; new and exclusive styles at \$1, with attached or detached collars; a few Silk waists in 32 and 34 only, at \$1, worth \$2.50.

Don't forget that we carry the largest line of Wash Goods in the city, consisting of Percale, Grass Linen, Dimity, Figured Mull, Jaconet Duchess, Corea Madras, Duck, Pique, Gingham, etc. Just received four new pieces of those handsome black Crepons for Skirts. See them. There are none like them in the market.

BROWNING & CO.

51 West Second Street.

SPRING STYLES

Carried by the well-known Progress Shoe Store.

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| Ladies' Kid Oxfords, | 48 |
| Ladies' Kid Oxfords, | 75 |
| Ladies' Kid Oxfords, | 98 |
| Ladies' Tan Oxfords, | 98 |
| Ladies' Tan Oxfords, | \$1 23 |
| Ladies' Tan Oxfords, | 1 48 |
| Ladies' Tan Oxfords, | 1 75 |
| New 20th Century Tan and Black Ox. | 1 89 |

PROGRESS SHOE STORE

SPECIAL FOR MAY

THE BEE HIVE!

CARPETS

We are very busy in our Carpet rooms. These prices tell the story:

50c. Brussels at 39c.
75c. Brussels at 50c.
\$1 Velvets at 69c.
50c. Ingrains at 39c.
40c. Ingrains at 29c.
Mattings at 10, 12, 15c. up to the very finest.

Full line of Rugs in Smyrna, Moquette and Jap, and China Rugs. Get our prices.

One hundred pieces new lawns, dimity and wash dress goods just received. These include all the new linen effects. See window display.

WITCH KLOTH.—A new supply of witch kloth. Greatest invention of the age, 15c. See it. Sole selling agents Ferris Good Sense Corset Waists and Onyx Hosiery.

BLACK and TAN

STRAP SANDALS

Spring Heels. Women's, Misses' and Children's.

J. HENRY PECOR.

Four cans tomatoes, 25 cents; three cans best corn, 25 cents; one can best California fruit, 15 cents.—Calhoun's.

Liquor license was granted to W. W. Watkins Monday.

LACE CURTAINS.

We commence our line of Curtains with a full three-yard, good full width, cheap at \$1.00, our price 69c.; \$1.25 grade, 89c.; \$1.50 grade, \$1.

SPECIAL.—One hundred pairs three and a half yard good sixty inch wide, would be cheap at \$3, special price \$1.69.

Full line door and Sash Curtains and Draperies.

Don't forget that we sell Window Shades.

Laundried SHIRT WAISTS

We show over one hundred patterns in Ladies' Laundried Shirt Waists. If you want to have a perfect fit and stylish waist, get one of our

National Brand Waists.

They are the proper thing. Now is the time to buy. Thirty styles at 50c.; fifty styles at \$1,—all with the new Bishop sleeves. New line of Belts just in.

These include all the new linen effects. See window display.

A HIGH GRADE

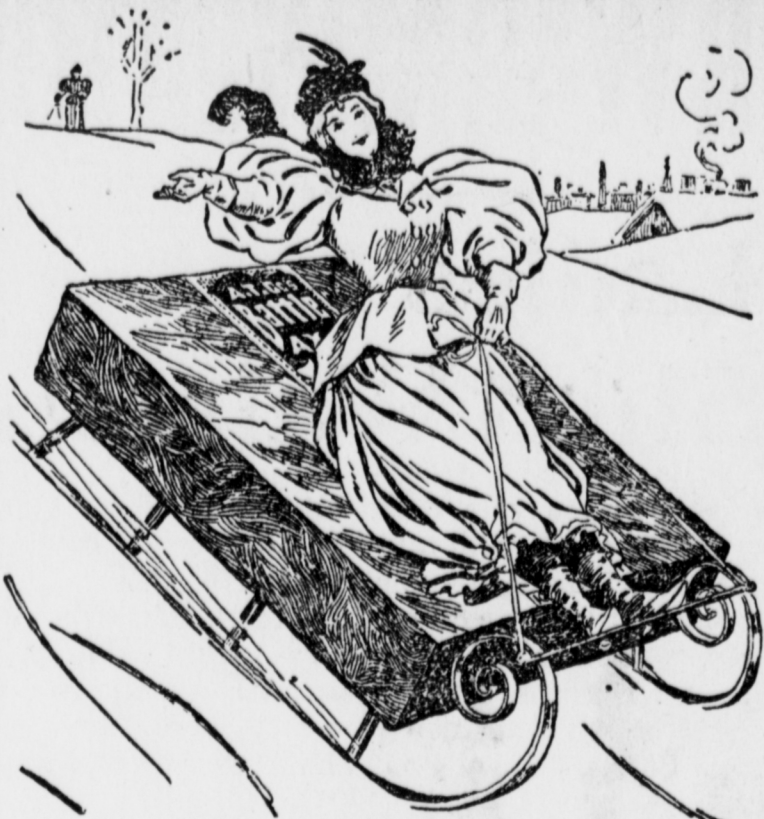
Shoe

Only can claim the honors of the foot. To gain this rank takes a combination of qualities such as Shoes we sell invariably possess. They have the right form because it's the that of the foot, to which the foot takes as kindly as a child does to pie. That's our idea, and we fully realize it in our stock. A poor shoe is no sooner worn than worn out. Footwear can't present too many good points! Ours have them all. Our prices will please you too.

F. B. Ranson & Co.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder.



"A very smooth article."

BattleAx PLUG

Don't compare "Battle Ax" with low grade tobaccos—compare "Battle Ax" with the best on the market, and you will find you get for 5 cents almost as much "Battle Ax" as you do of other high grade brands for 10 cents.

COUNTY CULLINGS.

Items Picked Up by the Bulletin's Correspondents in Mason and Elsewhere.

Plumville.

Little Miss Gracie Shook, of Winfield, Kansas, is a guest of her cousin, Miss Odie Lyons.

Mrs. T. S. Ratcliffe, of Nepton, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Odessa Bean, from Saturday until Monday.

Singing school is in progress, taught by Edwin Boggs. He teaches Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday nights.

Mrs. Charles Lyons, son and daughter of Winfield, Kansas, were guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Odessa Bean, last week.

Mrs. John Morgan, who has been in poor health for some time, is getting worse. Her friends fear that her recovery is doubtful.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Church Myall spent Monday in Cincinnati.

—Mr. T. J. Hall, of Newport, was in town Monday.

—Mr. W. G. Swope, of Felicity, Ohio was in town Monday.

—Mr. Frank Boyd, of Minerva, was in town Monday on business.

—Mr. D. Dunbar, of Manchester, spent a few hours here Monday.

—Mrs. C. B. Clift, of Covington, is in town the guest of relatives.

—Mr. F. D. Allen, of Flemingsburg, was here Monday visiting relatives.

—Mrs. M. J. Chase, of Michigan, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Collins.

—Mr. M. S. Tyler, of Huntington, W. Va., was in town Monday on business.

—Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Sharpsburg, was registered at the Central Hotel Monday.

—Mrs. Herbert Reno, of Cincinnati, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dr. Phister, of East Third street.

—Mr. E. R. Cass, of Knoxville, Tenn., was here Monday in the interest of an insurance company.

—Mr. J. B. Russell, of the wholesale grocery firm of M. C. Russell & Son, was in Cincinnati Monday on business.

—Mrs. J. C. Rains and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Orr, of North Fairmount, Cincinnati.

—Misses Ada and Daisy Paul, of Somerset, daughters of ex-State Senator Paul, are visiting their cousin, Miss Maude Adair.

—Miss Hattie L. Wood, of Washington, has returned from Louisiana, Mo., and reports her sister, Mrs. Stillwell, somewhat improved.

—Mr. George Daugherty, the genial night clerk of the Central Hotel, made one of his semi-annual trips to Ripley Monday, spending the day there.

—Miss Mary Finch, who is attending Miss Armstrong's school at Cincinnati, spent several days at home last week to be with her sister, Mrs. Dr. Church, of Chicago.

COMMERCIAL GAZETTE: "The annual reunion dinner of the 137th O. V. I. will be given at the Gibson on the evening of Friday, May 5. Judge M. C. Hutchins, of Maysville, and other distinguished soldiers will deliver addresses."

CINCINNATI TOBACCO MARKET.

Quite an Improvement in Trade Last Week. Especially For the Better Grades.

The Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company, in its circular for the week, has the following:

There has been quite an improvement in the tobacco trade the past week, especially for the better qualities of tobacco, and, while the receipts and offerings of the new have been very light, it has pushed the old crop to the front, and it has been taken at higher prices, and most of the sellers were well pleased with the sales.

There is always a place between the two crops of tobacco, that is when the new crop is not in keeping order and the redryers cannot get their tobacco ready and farmers are busy at work, which make receipts very light, and the buyers take the old tobacco in preference, but as soon as the new tobacco is placed on the market in keeping condition they discard the old crop as far as possible for the new. That has been the reason of the advance, which usually occurs in May and June, and, while the present spring is very early, we consider the time has come when the holders of the old crop should sell, as the next few days will place the new crop in competition. Remember the old adage, "The early bird catches the worm."

The buyers have shown a desire to get some good old tobacco, and, with some foreign buyers in the market as competitors, they have made an active market and advanced prices, as several hogheads sold from 20 to 24 cents. The market improved from Tuesday until Friday, and we considered at the close of Friday's sales that it was the best day of the week, and closed very strong.

The reports from the country show that there will be plenty of plants, but they are small yet, which is favorable, as they will come to the front rapidly, and by the time growers get ready for them they will be sufficiently large for setting. The dry weather has been a detriment to pricing, and it has caused the receipts to be remarkably small for this season of the year, but with a few warm showers we can expect them to increase rapidly.

There is considerable old tobacco in the country still, and, with the large stock on hand, it would be a benefit to the holders if the receipts were small for a few days, at least, until a good share of the old could be disposed of.

The low grades of tobacco show no change in price, only those having color, which appear to be in demand, and may be quoted some higher.

We are expecting a very firm market the coming week, especially if it remains dry.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Attention.

Uniform Rank K. of P., regular meeting to-night. Work in Sir Knight rank. All members are requested to be present in full dress. By order.

F. DRESSEL, S. K. C.

JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN, S. K. R.

Lightning Hot Drops—
What a Funny Name!
Very True, but it Kills All Pain.
Sold Everywhere, Every Day—
Without Relief, There is No Pain!

Mr. JAMES E. DUNBAR and Miss Mae Stephens were quietly married Monday morning at 10 o'clock by Judge Hutchins. The couple's friends join in extending congratulations and good wishes.

THE TRIUMPH OF LOVE

HAPPY, FRUITFUL MARRIAGE.
Every Man Who Would Know the Grand Truths, the Plain Facts, the New Discoveries of Medical Science as Applied to Married Life, Who Would Atone for Past Errors and Avoid Future Pitfalls, Should Secure the Wonderful Little Book Called "Complete Manhood, and How to Attain It."

"Here at last is information from a high medical source that must work wonders with the satisfaction of men."
The book fully describes a method by which to attain full vigor and manly power. A method by which to end all unnatural drains on the system.



To cure nervousness, lack of self-control, debility, etc.
To exchange a faded and worn nature for one of brightness, buoyancy and power.
To cure forever effects of excesses, overwork, worry, etc.
To give full strength, development and tone to every portion and organ of the body.
Age no barrier. Failure impossible. Two guaranteed references.
The book is purely medical and scientific, written by a physician, invaluable to men who need it.
A desperate man, who had applied to us, wrote:
"Well, I tell you that first day is one I never forget. I just bubbled with joy. I tried to hug everybody and tell them my luck had died yesterday, and my new self was born today. Why didn't you tell me that I first wrote that I would find it this way?"
And another thus:
"I had dumped a cart load of gold at my feet and it would not bring such gladness into my life as your method has done."

Write to the ERIC MEDICAL COMPANY, 100 N. Y. Ave., New York, for the little book "COMPLETE MANHOOD." Refer to page 1, and the company promises to send a book, in sealed envelope, without any charge, and entirely free, until it is well introduced.



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

Fruit, Fruit.

The Fruit season of 1896 is close at hand and I have perfected arrangements with some of the largest and most successful fruit growers of the Ohio River hills to handle their entire crop of

Strawberries,
Raspberries,
Blackberries,
Peaches, Etc.

This fruit is grown on the elevated lands, principally in Lewis County, by growers of long experience, and will be much superior to any grown on the low or flat lands. It will be received by express and placed on the market here on the same day it is gathered, and will be furnished to dealers and consumers in first class condition. Special prices always given to dealers, so as to enable them to sell at same prices I sell to consumers and make fair profits.

My Supply of Vegetables

will also be at all times full and of very best quality, and lowest prices.

A special invitation is extended country people to make my house their headquarters when in our city.

R. B. LOVEL,
The Leading Grocer.

Traxel

Is the man to call on if you want good

Bread,
Candies and Fruits!

C. F. Zweigart & Co.,

DAILY MEAT MARKET.

SECOND AND SUTTON STREETS.

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CINCINNATI DIVISION CLEVELAND AND OHIO.



| East. | West. |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| No. 16.....10:05 a. m. | No. 19.....5:30 a. m. |
| No. 2.....1:36 p. m. | No. 18.....6:10 a. m. |
| No. 15.....5:35 p. m. | No. 17.....8:50 a. m. |
| No. 20.....7:35 p. m. | No. 3.....4:00 p. m. |
| No. 4.....10:46 p. m. | No. 15.....5:15 p. m. |

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| | |
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| 1 can Honey-drop Corn..... | 10c |
| 1 can best Reserve Corn..... | 10c |
| 1 can Yarmouth Corn..... | 9c |
| 1 can best Apples (gallon)..... | 15c |
| 1 can best Apples (three-pound)..... | 7c |
| 1 can best Pie Peaches (three-pound)..... | 7c |
| 1 can best Cal. Lemon Cling Peaches (3-lb.)..... | 15c |
| 1 can best Cal. Yellow Free Peaches (3-lb.)..... | 11c |
| 1 can best Baltimore Peaches, peeled (3-lb.)..... | 10c |
| 1 can best California Pears (three-pound)..... | 15c |
| 1 can early June Peas..... | 8c |
| 1 can Gibbs' Extra Small Peas..... | 12c |
| 1 can Gibbs' Superfine Peas..... | 15c |
| 4 cans Golden Gate Tomatoes, (new goods)..... | 25c |
| 1 pound Levering's Coffee..... | 10c |
| 3 packages rolled Oats..... | 25c |
| 6 pounds Rice..... | 25c |
| 1 gallon new Navy Beans..... | 20c |
| 1 gallon new hominy..... | 10c |
| 12 bars good Soap..... | 25c |
| 7 bars Lenox Soap..... | 25c |
| 1 pound best New York Cream Cheese..... | 15c |
| 1 can of other goods too numerous to mention equally as low. Compare our prices with others as we cannot be undersold. Try our Royal Blend and Morning Joy Coffee, the best on earth. Perfection Flour \$4.25 per barrel. | |

NOTICE!

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Maysville, Ky., May 1, 1896.
Notice is hereby given that the Supervisors of Taxes for the city of Maysville will meet at the Council Chamber on

Thursday, May 14th,

For the purpose of examining and correcting the Assessor's list for the year 1896.

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